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## COUNTY TAX LEVY

County Commissioners Decide that Rate Can be Reduced.

The county commissioners made the levy for the year 1907-08. It will be pleasing to the taxpayers to know that they were able to make it 4-10 mills less than it was last year. Here are the number of mills and decimals of mills for the different funds:

County	1.555
Election	.100
Poor fund	.200
Bridge	1.000
Special bridge	1.000
Soldiers Relief	.300
Ditch	.200
Judicial	.300
Stone road repair	1.000
Total	5.655

## A WONDERFUL HAPPENING

Port Byron, N. Y., has witnessed one of the most remarkable cases of healing ever recorded. Amos F. King of that place says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured a sore on my leg with which I had suffered over 80 years. I am now eighty five." Guaranteed to cure all sores, by Wm. Comstock & Son, Druggists, 25c.

## BEAUTIFUL SCENERY

T. & O. C. Route Most Picturesque in the Country.

The first train of the Ohio Central's new through service from Toledo to the Jamestown exposition left the union station at 4:42 Sunday afternoon. The new route will be maintained until the close of the exposition, and is made possible by a traffic deal with the Chesapeake & Ohio, whose tracks the Ohio Central will use after crossing the Ohio river.

Leaving Toledo at the time named, the Ohio Central's Exposition Flyer will pass Kanawha Falls, through New River canyons to Greenbriar, across the famous Shenandoah valley, over historic battlefields of the revolution, through Richmond to Hampton Roads, arriving at Norfolk the following evening. The route will be one of the most picturesque in the country.

Many ills come from impure blood. Can't have pure blood with faulty digestion, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.

## STRANGER MEETS DEATH

Both Legs Crushed By Terminal Freight Train.

On Thursday night, as Mr. Bennett was coming up the River road, while passing the Terminal crossing, he observed a movement in the weeds along the roadside, and upon investigation, he discovered a young man whose legs had been crushed. The unfortunate man was still conscious and gave his name as Stewart Rayburn White, from Indianapolis, Ind., and requested word to be sent to his mother.

He was brought to the Rheinfrank hospital, but was so weakened from loss of blood that an operation was considered useless and he died shortly after.

The body was cared for at Barton's undertaking rooms and the parents notified. The mother and several other relatives came and the remains were taken home on Saturday.

The young man was not a tramp, but belonged to a respectable family. He was a student in music and had left home for a short trip and as he took but little money with him it is supposed he was endeavoring to steal a ride on a freight train but fell beneath the wheels but he was too weak when found, to give any account of how the accident happened.

He was aged 21 years.

## LIME CITY.

Nicholas Roneau visited relatives in Richfield, O., the latter part of last week.

George, Will, Carl and Miss Carrie Reitzel Sundayed with Jacob Swartz and family.

Elmer Tinney and Eryn Reitzel spent the first of the week with their "best" girls in Swanton.

Geo. Whitson, Geo. Lintner, Chas. Zingg and E. W. Crass witnessed the ball game between Toledo and Columbus, Sunday.

## A MEMORABLE DAY.

One of the days we remember with pleasure, as well as with profit to our health, is the one on which we became acquainted with Dr. King's New Life Pills, the painless purifiers that cure headache and biliousness, and keep the bowels right. 25c at Wm. Comstock & Son's Drug Store.



The secret of our success with W. G. and B. clothing is to quite an extent the good workmanship in the making. These coats hold their shape and look well long after a good many coats of similar appearance WHEN NEW have been cast away as unfit for use.

**A. C. FULLER**

## ENDORSED W. H. TAFT

Wood County Republican Committees Pass Resolutions.

A joint meeting of the Republican Executive and Central Committees was held on Saturday last and the following resolution was passed:

The members of the Republican executive and central committees of Wood county, Ohio, firmly believe that the Republicans of Wood county endorse the principles and policies of the administration of President Roosevelt and that they earnestly and enthusiastically favor that great son of Ohio, Secretary Wm. H. Taft, as the successor of President Roosevelt. Therefore to give expression to the conviction of the Republicans of Wood county, it is resolved by the Republican executive and central committees of Wood county, that we heartily endorse the candidacy of William H. Taft for President of the United States.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Case of the executive committee and Secretary Nearing called the roll indicating a quorum present.

Mr. Case stated the objects of the meeting and read a letter from A. I. Vorys asking that an expression of the committees be secured as to the candidacy of William H. Taft for the nomination of president of the United States.

He also read a letter which he had sent out to the committeemen asking that they be present and calling their attention to the Taft matter. He stated that he had asked only that the committeemen represent the wishes of the voters of their precinct and that he had not advised any person as to how they should vote.

There was considerable discussion of the question, some of those present believing it not the proper time for the endorsement of any person for President while others thought it best to put Wood county Republicans on record as being for or against Taft, and while there was a strong disposition to oppose the passage of any resolutions of endorsement, there seemed very little opposition to Taft, and when the resolution came up for vote there was only a few votes in opposition.

## WHEN PA WAS A BOY

Chicago Times-Herald  
I wish 'at I'd ov been here when  
My paw he was a boy;  
They must have been excitement then—  
When my paw was a boy;  
In school he always took the prize,  
He used to lick boys twice his size—  
I bet folks all had bulgin' eyes  
When my paw was a boy.  
They was a lot of wonders done  
When my law was a boy;  
How grandpa must have loved his son,  
When my paw was a boy;  
He'd git the coal and chop the wood,  
And think up every way he could  
To always jist be sweet and good—  
When my paw was a boy.  
Then everything was in its place  
When my paw was a boy;  
How he could rattle, jump, and race,  
When my paw was a boy!  
He never, never disobeyed,  
He beat in every game he played—  
Gee! What a record they was made  
When my paw was a boy!  
I wish 'at I'd been here when  
My paw was a boy;  
They'd never be his like agen—  
Paw was the muddle boy,  
But still last night I heard my maw  
Raise up her voice and call my paw  
The worst fool that she ever saw—  
He ought of stayed a boy!

## LONG LIVE THE KING!

Is the popular cry throughout European countries; while in America, the cry of the present day is "Long live Dr. King's New Discovery, King of Throat and Lung Remedies!" of which Mrs. Julia Ryder Paine, Truro, Mass., says: "It never fails to give immediate relief and to quickly cure a cough or cold." Mrs. Paine's opinion is shared by a majority of the inhabitants of this country. New Discovery cures weak lungs and sore throats after all other remedies have failed; and for coughs and colds it's the only sure cure. Guaranteed by Wm. Comstock & Son, druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

## UNJUST APPEAL

Government Clerks Will Make Strong Effort for Pensions.

Washington, D. C., July 1.—As the fierce and scorching rays of Old Sol beat down upon the farmer, mechanic and laborer, and as merchants, doctors, lawyers, editors and preachers wait patiently for crop gathering time for what is due them, and as the sweet, gentle and modest matrons and maidens of the country and small towns busy themselves in the irritating heat of summer preparing preserves, jellies and pickles for the winter, and about their other household duties, government clerks and officials, who go to work at nine o'clock in the morning and quit at half past four in the afternoon, and who have easy berths at the hardest, and who have thirty days' vacation and thirty days' sick leave, with pay, each year, are planning and scheming to force the incoming Congress to pass a law retiring them after twenty years' service upon a pension of two-thirds of the pay received by them at the time of retirement. They claim that they are as much entitled to this consideration at the hands of the government as those of the army and navy, and they propose to go after it good and strong when the statesmen assemble under the great dome the first Monday in December.

In order to insure success of their scheme, these crafty employees of Uncle Sam have adopted the methods employed by all great interests to force Congress to do their bidding. They have employed a press agent, whose duty it is to get matter in laudation of the scheme into papers throughout the country. They have adopted the lobby plan also and when the lawmakers get here again they will find trained lobbyists lying in wait to impress upon them the righteousness of the cause. Mr. Statesman will also be besieged by clerks in their individual capacity. They will tell him that they have just lots of friends back home ready to annihilate him in the event he refuses to support their bill. Women clerks, several thousand of whom are on the government payroll drawing easy money in sums from \$900 to \$1,800 per annum, are counted upon to wield great influence in the fight. Blondes, natural and peroxide, charming brunettes, and clever auburn haired lobbyists will swarm the corridors of the Capitol for the purpose of enticing chivalrous Congressmen into voting to create a civil pension list for the United States. Jolly grass-widows, who boast that they are tired of slaving for poor working men, and who have secured nice, soft jobs, with fat pay, under the government, will be on hand to cajole doubting legislative Thomases into falling in line for "the just rights of the poor, down-trodden government slaves," as they are wont to characterize themselves.

Of course, everyone wishes to see justice done government clerks, both male and female, and no one would deny them salaries commensurate with the actual labor they perform. But when it is proposed to retire them upon a pension, after twenty years' service, with fat pay, it is quite natural that the taxpayers of the country will raise a terrible howl about it. The burden of the taxpayer is already too heavy, and it is expecting too much of him to stand for this outrageous proposition.

The government clerks claim that they can not lay up enough out of their salaries to keep them in their old age, but when it is known that the majority of them live in costly and richly furnished houses, ride to and from work in handsome automobiles and carriages, their appeals for this special and nefarious legislation will fall flat.

## THE CHARMING WOMAN

Is not necessarily one of perfect form and features. Many a plain woman who could never serve as an artist's model, possesses those rare qualities that all the world admires: neatness, clear eyes, clean, smooth skin and that sprightliness of step and action that accompany good health. A physically weak woman is never attractive, not even to herself. Electric Bitters restore weak women, give strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth velvety skin, beautiful complexion. Guaranteed at Wm. Comstock & Son, druggists, 50c.

## RAPIDLY DECREASING

Death and New Ruling Removes 200 Pensioners a Day.

Civil war veterans are being removed from the federal pension rolls at the rate of nearly 200 a day. Death is removing the veterans at the rate of about 120 a day, but a ruling made on March 27 is adding fifty a day to the number of removals.

This ruling removes from the rolls of all pensioners who enlisted for ninety days and were on furlough a part of the time, so that their terms of actual service aggregate less than the ninety days stipulated by the service pension laws. Most of the men affected by the recent ruling enlisted in the first days of the war.

The ruling is based on a clause which declares that a soldier to be eligible for a pension must have served in the civil war for ninety days, it being held that they must have been engaged in actual service for that period.

Ohio veterans of the twenty-two regiments first to enlist, though not under consideration when the ruling was made, will suffer more severely than any other regiment of the army. The papers of men from all of these regiments are being held up in great numbers. The great mass of them have the defect of furlough period which will prove fatal.

## PIONEER COURT INCIDENTS.

Free and Easy Manners in Early Illinois Trials.

Most of the early Illinois court-houses were log built, but in some districts, says the author of "Lincoln, the Lawyer," the sessions were held in the barrooms of taverns, and the absence of all formality in the proceedings is best illustrated by the fact that in the circuit court of Washington county, held by Judge John Reynolds, the sheriff usually heralded his honor by singing out, "Come in, boys! Our John is a-goin' to hold court!" to which cordial invitation those having business with the law responded.

Another sheriff in Union county made laudable efforts to meet the requirements of the occasion by shouting out this singular announcement: "Oh, yes! Oh, yes! Oh, yes! The honorable judge is now opened!"

In one case a judge who desired to display his learning instructed the jury very fully, laying down the law with authority, but the jurors, after deliberating some hours, found themselves unable to agree. Finally the foreman rose and asked for additional instructions.

"Judge, this 'ere is the difficulty," he explained. "The jury want to know if that thar what you told us was 'a'ly the law, or on'y jist your notion."—Youth's Companion.

## WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO

Their Unceasing Work Keeps Us Strong and Healthy.

All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily when unhealthy some part of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—pain in the back, headache, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gout, gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, irregular heart, debility, drowsiness, dropsy, deposits in the urine, etc. But if you keep the filters right you will have no trouble with your kidneys.

Mrs. Henry Auth, of Fourth street, Perrysburg, Ohio, says: "I can speak in the highest terms of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills. I had been troubled with kidney complaint and terrible backache off and on for four or five years and sometimes I was so bad I could hardly drag myself about to attend to my work. All my ambition and energy was gone. I used several remedies but they did not give me any relief and I continued to suffer. When I noticed Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and so highly recommended, I concluded to try them and got a box. In a few days the pains began to grow less and less and finally disappeared. I can truthfully say that Doan's Kidney Pills have done me a world of good and it is with pleasure that I recommend them."

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creased if some of our merchants  
would put forth more of an effort to  
draw trade. We fear too many of them  
feel content to sit down and wait for  
it to come along. At least, this is our  
version of it, judging from our adver-  
tising columns. People to-day are  
looking for bargains and the mer-  
chant who makes the effort to offer  
bargains is the man who draws the  
trade. If it were not for persistent  
advertising and bargain offering, the  
catalogue house would not last a  
month.

This is an age of push and hustle  
for trade. You may have a thousand  
and one bargains on your shelves,  
but if you do not let the public know  
you have these bargains, what does it  
profit?

A special sale every week on some  
one article is a good trade bringer.  
Cut the life out of the prices and let  
the public know about it. You will  
find that nine times out of ten the  
busy merchant of to-day is the man  
who is continually offering bargains  
and uses the columns of the home  
paper to let the people know it.

You may cut the price on a dozen  
articles in your store, and place a  
card on them saying that you have  
cut the price from \$1.00 to 25 cents,  
but if you fail to attract the people  
on the inside, how are they to know  
that you are offering cut prices?

## Found an Excuse.

One Easter a Methodist minister in  
the south wrote to J. Pierpont Morgan  
and asked him to subscribe to the erec-  
tion of a new church.

"Since I am an Episcopalian," Mr.  
Morgan wrote back, "I can't conscien-  
tiously join this Easter subscription to  
the building of a Methodist church.  
Before erecting your new church,  
though, you are going, I understand,  
to tear the old church down. For that  
purpose I gladly inclose my check for  
\$250."